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WILL SEND 63 MONDAY

Another Company of Men Summoned by the Alexandria Draft Board. Will Be Sent to Camp Lee.

Sixty-three men from this city have been summoned by the local draft board to leave next Monday for Camp Lee, Va. The men will entrain at 7:55 o'clock and doubtless a large number of friends and relatives of the men will be at the station to see them off. This is the largest number of men summoned to entrain at one time thus far. All of the men summoned are in Class 1. Their names are as follows:

Timothy J. Sullivan, 1023 Princess street; Enoch H. Roland, 905 Duke street; Francesco D. Felice, 818 North Columbus street; Fred Snoots, care of D. C. Paper Mill, Washington, D. C.; Edgar W. Brown, Clarendon, Va.; Leon E. Moore, 901 South Washington street; Percy S. Reeves, 1003 Cameron street; Charles H. Marcey, Ballston, Va.; Milton E. Elliott, R. F. D., Rosslyn, Va.; Edward D. McIntosh, Arlington, Va.; Henry Mumford, 510 Queen street; Joseph H. Mellon, 909 Cameron street; Walter S. Warner, 727 Eleventh street northwest, Washington, D. C.; Peter Hoy, 1204 Prince street; Paul Schlichting, 123 South Fairfax street; Joseph H. Gilroy, 1804 Duke street; John L. Peed, Box 353, Alexandria, Va.; Charles Deuterman, Arlington, Va.; James Burke, 610 Eighth street northwest, Washington, D. C.; Edward L. Bouton, Ballston, Va.; Edward Spriggs, Cherrydale, Va.; Andrew Hamersley, 1006 Pendleton street; Morris R. Ladd, Cherrydale, Va.; Stephen J. Woolls, 1106 Wilkes street; Alvin W. Chester, 516 Sixth street northwest, Washington, D. C.; Seymour C. Henson, Arlington, Va.; Theophilus Sutton, 132 North Royal street; Theodore R. Smith, Cherrydale, Va.; Vernon Shaver, 1112 Prince street; Norman E. German, Ballston, Va.; Jacob Sperling, 429 Queen street; William C. Dowden, Rosslyn, Va.; Howard W. Shaw, South Washington, Va.; Wilmer C. Roland, 905 Duke street; J. L. Rush, South Washington, Va.; Florian A. Elliott, East Fall Church, Va.; Thomas Sanford, 643 Mt. Vernon street, Portsmouth, Va.; Robert L. Southerland, 1521 King street; Henry F. Fones, 516 Cameron street; James W. Gorham, Fisher, Pa.; Lewis C. Anderson, 109 North Payne street; Edwin P. Goucher, 126 Prince street; John F. Gensmer, 119 South Union street; Walter M. Skinner, 219 North Payne street; James Todd, Cherrydale, Va.; George F. Monroe, 412 South Pitt street; John R. Huges, 221 Gibbon street; Martin L. Sherman, 700 North Patrick street; William Kettner, Fort Myer, Rosslyn, Va.; William B. McKenney, 307 Wilkes street; Raymond B. Robinson, Ballston, Va.; Marion Thomas, Independence, La.; Russell L. Brown, Clarendon, Va.; Harry E. Fisher, 321 Commerce street; Leo J. Meade, 214 South Patrick street; George O. Pallant, 508 South Alfred street; Elmer G. Violett, 121 Prince street; James A. Lee, South Washington, Va.; William Dyer, Rosslyn, Va.; Irving Lindsey, 1009 Gibbon street; Archie N. Nalls, 701 South Lee street; John L. Lynch, 1021 Princess street.

Notice

Notice is hereby given, that in conformity with the provision of an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved March 10, 1916, (Acts 1916, Chapter 146, pages 219-223-224), the undersigned will on the 8th day of July, 1918, apply to the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, for a license to purchase, store, and sell wine for sacramental purposes, pure whisky and pure brandy and pure fruit, ethyl, and grain alcohol for medicinal, scientific, mechanical and pharmaceutical purposes; and to purchase and use ardent spirits and alcohol for the manufacture of flavoring extracts, toilet, medicinal and antiseptic prepartions or solutions, and patent and proprietary medicines, as provided in the said Act of the Assembly.

C. J. W. Summers.

June 21 ,1918.

Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Luther M. Henderson, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with me, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment.

P. A. Kersey, administrator,
419 South Washington street.
142-10t.

LIQUOR AWAITS OWNER

Prohibition Inspectors Add More Than One Hundred Pints to Stock Heretofore at Station House.

A few days ago more than two hundred pints of whisky were taken from a southbound railroad train at Union Station in this city. The owners, however, could not be identified, and the liquor was piled up at the station house. Yesterday afternoon one hundred pints were added to the stock. The owner, as in the former case, could not be found.

Early last night State Prohibition Inspectors J. C. Shelhorse, W. C. Hall and A. L. Bricker arrested Eugene Robbins and "General" Dalton, two negroes, who were on southbound Southern Railway trains 31, on the charge of violating the Mapp law. They each had six quarts of whisky. The accused and the liquor were brought to the station house and the Police Court, after hearing the evidence, held the negroes for the action of the grand jury. The prisoners said they came from Hopewell, and had purchased the liquor for their own use.

MACCABEES IN CONVENTION

Dr. R. L. Wilkins of Alexandria Elected State Commander—Meet Here Next Year.

The annual state convention of the Maccabees was held yesterday at the assembly rooms of Murphy's hotel in Richmond at 10 o'clock, and the address of welcome was made by William T. Dabney, business manager of the chamber of commerce, and also a member of the organization. The address of welcome was responded to by Dr. R. L. Wilkins, of Alexandria, state commander.

The meeting was called to order by State Commander Wilkins. The following officers were present: J. J. Dozier, of Norfolk, Va., past state commander; L. N. Roetting, of Charlottesville, Va.; state record keeper; W. F. Hopkins, of Richmond, Va., state chaplain; Dr. H. Urbach, of Richmond, state physician; J. H. Williams, of Newport News, Va., state sergeant, and J. L. Vetter, of Norfolk, Va., state master at arms.

The following tents were represented: Norfolk with two tents; Richmond with three tents; Charlottesville, Alexandria, Lynchburg, Zuni, Covington, Newport News and Petersburg. Supreme Representative A. W. Frye, of Detroit, Mich., was present. Also State Deputy J. E. Turner, of Norfolk, Va., was there.

A great amount of business was transacted. The Maccabee band of twenty pieces, from Norfolk, Va., came by boat and enlivened the convention.

Alexandria, Va., was unanimously elected as the place of meeting for the convention in 1919.

The convention was entertained by a luncheon and theater party by the Maccabees of Richmond.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Past state commander, J. J. Dozier, of Norfolk; state commander, R. L. Wilkins, of Alexandria; lieutenant state commander, J. N. Williams, of Newport News; state record keeper, L. N. Roetting, of Charlottesville; state chaplain, W. F. Hopkins, of Richmond; state sergeant, J. L. Vetter, of Norfolk; state master at arms, F. C. Helbig, of Lynchburg; state first master of guards, J. T. Grunewald, of Norfolk; state second master of guards, L. L. Joyner, of Zuni; state physician, Dr. Howard Urbach, of Richmond; state sentinel, J. R. McMunn, of Covington; state picket, Frank J. Safley, of Mineral.

Marriage Notice.

Mrs. Julian Rawlett, of North Pitt street, announces the marriage of her sister, Miss Ella Cecelia Inscoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Inscoe, of Bel Alton, Md., to Mr. Edward Courtney Reaves, of this city, on Wednesday, June 19, 1918, at the rectory of Grace Episcopal church, by the Rev. Edgar Carpenter. Mr. and Mrs. Reaves will reside in Alexandria.

Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late John M. Matthews, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with me, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requeste dto present their accounts properly certified for payment.

Morton B. Apperson,
2032 Duke street, Alexandria, Va.
144-10t

Alexandria City and Suburbs

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

W. E. Gladstone Peters has sold to William P. Woolls, house and lot 414 South Royal street. A deed of transfer was recorded today.

The regular monthly meeting of the promoters of the League of the Sacred Heart will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the Lyceum Hall. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. W. L. Arnold, accompanied by her father, Mr. E. C. Tesh, left today to join her husband, Sergt. W. L. Arnold, who is stationed at Newport News.

Chief of Police Goods received a long-distance telephone message this morning from Samuel Moore, proprietor of the Stafford Garage, Stafford county, Va., to the effect that a burglar last night robbed that garage of eleven automobile tires and twenty-eight automobile tire tubes.

Mrs. Jane E. Stringfellow, widow of Robert Stanley Springfellow died Wednesday night at her residence in Culpeper county, Va. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Atwell Somerville of Mitchells, Culpeper county. The body was brought to this city this afternoon and buried in Ivy Hill cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. P. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's P. E. church.

There was an alarm of fire shortly before 3 o'clock this morning. The alarm was the result of burning railroad ties on upper King street.

Mrs. S. Trunnell fell Wednesday night at her home in Duke street, and fractured her hip. Mrs. Trunnell fell in January and broke her arm, and was some time recovering from the effects of that.

Joseph Smith, eight months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen T. Smith, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of his parents, 421 North Alfred street. His funeral took place this afternoon from his parents' residence and services were conducted by Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor of the M. E. Church South.

A delegation of Alexandria members of Acca Temple, Mystic Shrine, this city, accompanied by ten neophytes also from this city, departed this afternoon at 2:27 o'clock for Fredericksburg, Va., to attend a ceremonial session of the Shriners, which will be held there tonight. In the party in addition to the neophytes were about fifteen members from this city. The work will be conferred by the degree team from Richmond. Upon arriving in Fredericksburg the visitors were shown the points of interest about the city and tonight preceding the ceremonial session there will be a band concert and drill by the famous Arab patrol. The Alexandrians will return home late tonight.

The regular weekly prayer meeting will be held at 7 o'clock this evening, in the Anne Lee Memorial Home for the Aged.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Kemper, of Rosemont, have received notice of the safe arrival overseas of their son, Sergeant Edward Lee Kemper.

Mt. Vernon Council, Daughters of America, will hold their regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in their hall, the Elks' building, corner of Prince and Royal streets. A full attendance is desired as business of importance is to come before the order.

The Salvation Army will hold two open-air meetings tonight at the corner of King and Royal streets and King and Washington streets, conducted by Commander and Mrs. Tilly and comrades, of the Washington corps of the Salvation Army. There will be good music and good speaking, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

The marriage is announced of Miss Ella Cecell Inscoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Inscoe, of Bel-Alton, Maryland, to Mr. Edward Courtney Reaves, of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector of Grace Episcopal church, in the rectory, on Wednesday, June 19. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Julian Rawlett, of North Pitt street. Mr. and Mrs. Reaves will reside in this city.

HUNGER AND REVOLT

Utter Collapse of Austrian Offensive Seems Imminent.

Hunger and revolt have come out as open allies of Italy in flinging the great Austrian drive back as a terrible boomerang. On the fighting front and at home, an utter Austrian collapse seems a matter of days, perhaps hours.

The last twenty-four hours saw Kaiser Karl's armies on the Paive thrown back further, at one point clear to the river's edge, thus splitting the Austrian front on the west bank. The "home front" is shaking omniously. Their hopes of the soldiers bringing back gigantic stores of food, after a "victorious" offensive, are shaken, the Austrian people, despairing of relief and suffering from nagging hunger, are turning even the most devout subjects into rebels.

Socialists and workmen, sick and tired of appeals, are demanding, threatening. The Vienna workmen's council has issued an ultimatum to the government.

"Increase the bread and vegetable rations, give us higher wages and take steps for peace—or we'll rise," is the substance of their demand.

Vienna's stock of potatoes, the main means of sustenance, is virtually exhausted.

Frantic appeals go hourly to the German authorities, whose failure to keep their promises, especially regarding flour supply, is one of the main causes of the dual monarchy's plight.

The great Ludendorff is implored to create relief, not only on the battle front, where any hour may bring a debacle of Austrian morale, but in the food situation, as well. But all the "relief" he can offer is to advise Austrian military heads now to make short shrift with malcontents.

The mayor of Budapest, capital of Hungary and hotbed of sedition, telegraphs to Vienna for aid, saying the city has not enough food for a month. Vienna's "oberbuergermeister" tells Berlin his own city faces starvation as a matter of days.

Actual riots are already reported to have broken out, with plunder and violence rampant. The labor council tells the population to be patient and await the results of the ultimatum. But the stomach is asserting itself everywhere, and only empire-wide martial law seems a temporary escape from civil war.

In many respects, the situation resembles that in Russia on the eve of the March revolution.

Home Rule and Conscription

London, June 21.—Both Irish conscription and home rule have been dropped by the British government for the time being, according to the interpretation which the Chronicle today gave to Lord Curzon's speech on the Irish situation in the house of peers last night.

DISCUSS COAL NEEDS

Manufacturers Submit to Local Fuel Board Estimates of Amount of Coal to be Used Until April 1.

A meeting of representatives of all the industries of the city was held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce this morning at which time the different manufacturers submitted to the local fuel commissioners an estimate of their monthly coal requirements from the present time until April 1.

The idea of this meeting was to obtain the total estimate in order that all may be classified in accordance with recommendations made by the United States Fuel Administration Board.

A majority of the manufacturers of the city or their representatives attended the meeting.

Under the new ruling of the U. S. Fuel Administration Board Alexandria will receive but 40 per cent of the amount of anthracite coal received last year. Efforts, however, are being made to have this changed.

It is estimated that last year this city used 25,000 tons of bituminous coal and 18,000 tons of anthracite coal. The meeting was presided over by George E. Warfield, local chairman. Other members present were Capt. Albert Bryan and D. N. Rust, Jr., the latter of Alexandria county.

Girl Ends Life by Posion.

Lynchburg, Va., June 21.—A prepossessing young woman, who had been at a Main street boarding house for several weeks, having registered as Lillian Davis, committed suicide there tonight by swallowing poison.

Among her effects were a railroad ticket to Petersburg, the photograph of a man, $2 and a certificate showing that Bessie May Davis and William F. Paschal were married in Roanoke last August.

Sacrificed 500,000 Men.

London, June 21. — Germany has uselessly sacrificed 500,000 men since March 21, it was charged by Her Hoffman, a Socialist member of the Prussian Chamber of Deputies, at Berlin, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam.

Notice to Coal Consumers.

Alexandria, Va.,
June 18, 1918

Representatives of all industrios using coal as fuel for power purposes, are requested to appear at the Chamber of Commerce, Friday morning, at 10 o'clock, for classification on the preferential list.

George E. Warfield,
Albert Bryan,
D. N. Rust, Jr.,
Fuel Commissioners for Alexandria City.

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MRS. HEARST IN TEARS

Decision On Charge of Criminal Libel Made by Her Against Newspapers Expected Today.

New York, June 21.—Mrs. William Randolph Hearst appeared before the grand jury Wednesday to testify in support of her charges of criminal libel against the New York Times and the New York Tribune. She arrived at the Criminal Courts building accompanied by a woman friend and was ushered into the presence of the grand jurors by Alfred J. Talley, assistant district attorney.

When she emerged from the grand jury room her eyes were welling with tears and a few drops were still lingering on her cheeks. The reason for the tears could not be ascertained as both District Attorney Swann and Mr. Talley refused to discuss the case on the ground that it was sub judice, that is, still under consideration. Mr. Talley said, however, that so far as he knew no indictments had been found, though it is possible that the grand jury found an indictment without his knowing it.

It is understood that all the evidence is in and that the grand jury's decision will be known today.

In addition to the criminal complaints, Mrs. Hearst has brought civil suits against the newspapers asking from each damages of $100,000.

ITALIANS WIN GROUND

Battle Raging Violently Along Piave With Allies More Than Holding Their Own.

London, June 21.—The battle along the Piave river is continuing with great violence, the latest official statement indicated.

The Italians drove forward at three distinct points, forcing the Austrians back at Montello, north of the Montebelluno railway and west of San Dona di Piave. The Austrians made a slight gain west of Zenson, but were driven back.

The number of Austrian prisoners now exceeds 11,000.

Haig reported successful raids in Flanders.

Dispatches from American headquarters report that American forces stormed German trenches east of Cantigny in the Montdidier region, inflicting heavy losses and destroying several enemy machine gun nests. The American losses are said to be light.

At the Grand Theater Tonight.

"Mothers of Liberty" will be shown at the Grand tonight. It is not a war drama and yet it is full of patriotism from start to finish, and is a picture which will be of interest to all.

Notice.

The managers of the Grand Theater beg to state that they are very sorry to announce that they will be unable to show the picture "Civilization," that was to have been shown on next Wednesday. The Government has recalled all war pictures.

WAR STAMP CAMPAIGN

Intensive Campaign Soon to Be Inaugurated for Sale of Stamps—Alexandria's Allotment is $400,000.

Plans are being formulated for an intensive drive for the sale of war-saving stamps in this city under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce. The proposed drive will last two or three days it is expected.

At a meeting held yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, presided over by Gardner L. Boothe, who is chairman of the committee in charge of the sale of the stamps. The Chamber of Commerce was requested to appoint an executive committee to assist in the proposed drive. President Robert L. Payne, of the Chamber of Commerce, will announce this committee shortly, and the first meeting of the committee is scheduled to be held Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Alexandria's allotment of stamps to be sold is $400,000 and it is proposed by those in charge of the campaign to bend every effort possible to make Alexandria "go over the top" in the sale of these stamps.

It is announced that persons desiring to purchase the stamps can arrange time payments for the same.

EAT 16 PIECES OF PIE

Also Eggs, Pancakes, Shortcake and Lots of Other Things.

South Bridge, Mass., June 21.—A check for $2.75 doesn't mean much in a cafe de luxe, but at Wesson's Lunch it represents many mouthfuls. That was the size of the check tendered Theodore Chamberlain when he "blew in" here today, after working without cessation for two days.

Teddy said he was hungry. Head Waiter Moses Monette couldn't maintain the necessary speed, so some of his waiters helped out in maintaining the guest's commissary department.

Chamberlain weighs only 123 pounds, but no German ever taken prisoner displayed such munching propensities. Here is what Chamberlain put away in exchange for his $2.75.

Two dropped eggs on toast, several griddle cakes, four muffins, two large cups of coffee, one glass of milk; three sections of strawberry shortcake followed, and then he asked for a piece of custard pie. He asked for another and another. When he finished he had eaten sixteen pieces of pie. Chamberlain topped his lunch with a draught of ice-water, and said: "Well, I ain't as hungry as I was."

Austrians Executed.

Rome, June 21.—Italian military officials learned before the Austrian offensive began, says a semi-official move issued yesterday that the Austrians had dressed Italian-speaking Austrian soldiers in Italian uniforms in order to throw them at a suitable movement into the entente Allied lines so as to provoke panic and disorder.

Captured Austrians so garbed were executed after a drumhead court-martial, in accordance with the laws of war.

Among the Austrians captured June 17 was one dressed as an Italian lieutenant an danother was in the uniform of the Bersaglieri.

ITALIANS CONTROL AIR

Austrian Prisoners Say Army of Emperor Karl Has Little Food.

Italian Army Headquarters, June 21.—The Italians have won complete control of the air along the Piave line, where the most determined fighting of the resent Austrian offensive is in progress. Wednesday afternoon not a single Austrian machine was aloft on this front.

In general the situation of the Austrians along the Piave appears far from satisfactory to them. Prisoners taken by the Italians all declare the Austrian army has little food. Some of the prisoners have not eaten for forty-eight hours.

The River Piave, overflowing its banks, has destroyed several pontoon bridges constructed by the Austrians at Intestadura, and also at San Dona di Piave. This has increased the difficulty of the Austrians in their rear communications, affecting the transportation of artillery, ammunition, food and fresh troops.

It is stated that the Austrians fighting south of the Piave river continue to implore help and also that two of their divisions have been greatly reduced by losses.

WANT PEACE AND BREAD

Police Charge Mobs in Vienna, Using Sabers—Many Civilians Injured in Fighting.

Paris, June 21. — Fifty thousand demonstrators who marched through the streets of Vienna Thursday night shouting "Peace! Bread!" and also pillaged shops were charged by the police with drawn sabers, according to a Zurich dispatch to the Journal today. Many of the civilians were injured.

London, June 21.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Express interprets the warning of the burgomaster of Vienna to the premier that he cannot guarantee order if the bread rations are reduced any further as an expectation of revolution.

Rioting continues in the Austrian capital. Outbreaks are taking place in other cities also.

A great strike of 100,000 workmen had been called in the Vulcan Arsenal, at Vienna. The workers in the Warschalowski airplane plant are out, also.

The Arbeiter Zeitung, of Vienna, in a strong article demands the resignation of Premier von Seydler.

Zurich and a continuation of the partial strike.

A dispatch from Copenhagen quoted the German socialist newspaper Vorwaertz as saying that Hungary had offered 1,000 carloads of potatoes to Vienna, but there is no prospect of the Austrian food situation being improved for three weeks.

PACIFIST GIVEN 15 YEARS

New York Teacher, Fired From Job, Will Reflect In Federal Prison.

New York, June 21—Louis H. Blumenthal, of 66 Lynch street, Brooklyn, a school teacher, will have to serve fifteen years in a Federal prison for being a conscientious objector. Automatically the young man also is dropped from the roll of school teachers in this city.

He was a teacher of boys in Public School No. 148. Blumenthal was stationed at Camp Upton. He declared he would not fight against the enemies of this country. His fifteen-year sentence, recently imposed by court-martial, has been confirmed by the Secretary of War.

Blumenthal was born in Brooklyn in 1893 and was educated in the public schools and in the College of the City of New York, and soon after was assigned to School No. 148. The board of education Wednesday unanimously dismissed him from the school system. The vote was regarded as necessary to legally wipe his name off the payroll.

ITALIAN ART RUINED

Austrian Vandals of the Air Have Destroyed Much Fine Architecture.

New York, June 21.—The Italian Bureau of Information in this city made public yesterday a dispatch from Rome stating that the Giornale d'Italia had compiled from official data a list of Italian edifices and architectural monuments which had been damaged or destroyed by Austrian aerial bombardment. The list, which is an extensive one, will bring a pang to the heart of many an admirer of Italian art. Many of the acts of vandalism against the ancient churches and palaces of Venice and other Italian towns have apparently been intentional as the same churches have been singled out time after time as targets for Austrian bombs.

Attention Arcanians!

Arcanum Day, June 23, 1918, falls on Sunday, next, and Alexandria Council No. 627 proposes to observe the day on Monday, June 24. The members of the council are hereby notified and urgently requested to be present at the meeting to be held in Eagles' Hall, South Royal street, Monday, June 24, at 8 o'clock.

While the benefit or insurance feature dominates, the thought of most of its members, the brotherhood and social side of the order should not be neglected, and surely we might all assemble once a year, and greet each other as brethren.

Let this be a full meeting on Monday evening. Come with a smile on your face and a heart beating in unison with your fellows and enjoy a social evening. You can talk as much as you please or listen to what others may have to say. This is to be a home council meeting and there will be refreshments. By order of the Council.

J. E. Alexander,
Secretary.

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"GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD."

A prominent Alexandrian, now deceased, who in his time amassed a large fortune, once told the writer that he never turned a man from his door who asked for something to eat. "I've been there myself," he said. "I know what it is to be hungry and compelled to knock at a door and ask for food." He referred to his experience as a Confederate soldier during the civil war.

We read of Martin Luther, when a student, spending the day with his books and singing at night for a supper before the doors of the opulent in Eisenach.

When one rises in the morning after having retired the previous night minus supper and with no immediate prospect of procuring breakfast, the words at the head of this article can be uttered in earnest.

Under normal conditions the prayer, "Give us this day our daily bread," becomes a form. While uttering it breakfast is being prepared for us.

But there are millions in this world at present who earnestly utter the words of the Lord's Prayer daily. How to obtain their daily bread is a problem.

A Vienna newspaper received at The Hague gives the following picture of what is happening in the Austrian capital:

Every Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock there comes a modest tap at the door. A little boy and girl stand outside, tiny, pale, and thin as shadows. They shrink into the corner if you ask them what they want and a little voice whispers anxiously: "Please give us a small piece of bread."

The children knock at many, many doors, yet only three wretched little scraps are to be seen in their dirty little aprons. They get the same answer everywhere: "We haven't bread enough for ourselves."

Unfortunately children are not the only ones who go from door to door begging bread in order to obtain the least that man can ask for, which, nevertheless, has become so costly. The old newspaper woman who brings the evening paper, the woman who comes to check the gas meter, the locksmith's boy who has to deliver a key, the scissors grinder, the pretty postwoman—they all say more or less daily, "please give us a small piece of bread." For they are hungry and filled with the right feeling that it is not a shame to beg bread. At least it is no shame for those who must beg only from those whose fault it is that bread has become so scarce. The beggars are all people who work honorably and hard.

LONGEST DAY OF THE YEAR

June 21 is, according to the almanac, the longest day of the year. Our planet is now in what is known as aphelion, or the farthest point from the sun. Approximately we are now ninety-three million miles from the day god.

Since June 21, 1917, our world has passed around the sun on an orbit of six hundred million miles. The orb has been traveling at the inconceivable speed of seventeen or eighteen miles a second, or faster than any shooting star we have ever seen in the heavens.

In this busy age but few people ever soliloquize on the wonders of the solar system. We are, as it were, upon a world which may be likened to a huge flying machine which is traversing space at such a speed that could it be taken from the planet and placed nearby our eye could not follow the orb as it shot by us like lightning.

We are fellow-passengers on this mammoth dirigible—a machine far more wonderful than any ever conceived by Count Zeppelin. The interrogation, "Quo Vadis"? is pertinent.

Our sin-cursed world is at this present time convulsed as it never was before. Wars and rumors of war are being sounded about us—in fact, we hear of but little else than war. Famine and Death are following in the wake, while the pale green horse of death is snorting close behind the other horrors.

"Peace on earth, good will to men" was proclaimed by a bevy from the heavenly choir over nineteen hundred years ago. Men closed their ears to the celestial music then, and are still deaf to it, although its echos have come down the ages.

LETTER TO THE KAISER

The Philadelphia Record prints the following letter to his majesty, the emperor of Germany:

Exalted Sir: Replying to yours of recent date, dictated to Karl Rosner, we hasten to assure you of our earnest desire to co-operate in the furtherance of your expressed determination, as set forth in these noble lines:

"When the enemy is beaten we must care for him with all the power and means given us. . . . We Germans will preserve our conception of Christian duty toward the ill and wounded.

"While waging war we will also treat those wounded in battle so that when this terrible business is over and men again extend their hand to one another we may be able to recall with a clear conscience and without remorse every day and every act of these hard times."

Realizing, All-Highest, that with the many and varied activities now so engrossing your mind you may not be able easily to recall "every day and every act of these hard times" which rest so lightly and without remorse upon your clear conscience, it occurs to us that it might be helpful to you if we were to make a little catalogue of some of them.

There's Belgium, Most Humane Potentate! You will not forget with what generous designs you approached that misguided kingdom, at the very outset of these hard times. The tears pouring from the eyes of your kind-hearted soldiers, you must remember, so muddied the roads as to delay temporarily the passage of your conquering cannon. Recall, too, how the shameless women, vicious children and tigerish old men forced themselves upon your troops, to be outraged, maimed, carried into slavery and killed.

Pass now to the Lusitania, the "munition ship," upon which the fiendish enemy crowded so many noncombatants, even little children who sank into the waves crying for their mammas. Glory upon glory!

Recall the great Zeppelins, first to carry to the undeserving women and children of London that great peace from which there is no awakening.

Recall the destruction of those hundreds of cathedrals and minor temples unblessed by the favor of Unser Altes Deutsche Gott.

Recall, too, the kindly attention paid by your fearless aviators to the lazy doctors and nurses in the Red Cross hospitals behind the lines, furnishing them with much work to keep their idle hands from mischief.

Recall those worthless, unregenerate prisoners whom, by crucifying upon barn doors, you permitted to follow in the footsteps of the First Christian.

Recall, too, the wholesale emulation of your example in the land of the Armenians, by the godly Turk, your ally.

Recall your wonderful contribution to the science of anesthesia, the gas-shell.

These All Highest, are but a few of the glories of your war-making. There are many others. And in conclusion, we echo the recent pious wish of your own Hindenburg: "May you live long to ponder upon these things."

ALL IS AT STAKE

The fate of Austria depends on the offensive her troops are now conducting against the Italian armies.

The condition in the dual monarchy is similar to that in Germany. As Emperor William has staked everything on his drive for Paris and the channel, so Emperor Carl has thrown the future of his empire and his dynasty into the balance in a drive through the plains of northern Italy.

If he wins, the victory will do much to popularize the war in Austria-Hungary and solidify the fast disintegrating nation.

If he loses, the internal crisis in Austria will reach a climax which may bring about a revolution and cost Carl his throne.

On the 100-mile front from the Lagrina valley to the Adriatic Sea the Austrian field marshal, Conrad von Hoetzendorf, threw sixty divisions, or 720,000 men, into the attack.

For three days the battle has waged with an intensity that has had no precedent on this front. At every part of the Italian line attacked, however, the Italian armies have held back the invaders with a splendid resistance and completely broken up the drive.

The brilliant defensive battle fought by the Italians in the first three days of the attack has won them the admiration of all their allies. They not only flung back the Teuton's attacks on the whole front, but vigorously counter-attacked at several points and won back their lost positions.

The Italian army, fortified by French and British support, was prepared for the blow, and was never in better shape to receive it.

The losses on both sides have been enormous. The figures in killed and wounded must be appalling when they are made known.

AN EFFECTIVE THREAT

Two nundred and five members of the House of Representatives bowed their heads in submission to the threat of two mechancis employed in navy yards and voted against a Senate provision in the naval appropriation bill permitting the payment of bonuses and premiums. This is the observation of the Washington Post. The provision was inserted as the means which might be employed by the Secretary of the Navy in stimulating work and speeding up war activities. It was rejected by the House after two threatening telegrams were read into the Record by Chairman Padgett, of the naval committee, to whom they were addressed. Both purport to come from officers or members of a labor union at Portsmouth, Va.

Our cotemporary continuing says: So 205 members of the House voted against the Senate provision, thereby robbing the Secretary of the Navy of the only possible means within his power of speeding up work on the destroyers and battleships and other navy craft so urgently needed to win the war. It is pleasant to record that eighty-seven members stood up undaunted before the threat and supported the proposition. The telegrams were intended solely to frighten Congress upon the eve of a general election. Had the bonus provisions been retained, there would have been no strike, because the great majority of men employed in the navy yards are loyal, patriotic citizens, proud of their country and as eager to help win the war as other Americans. No selfish leader could have seduced them from their important tasks in this crisis. No personal advantage could tempt them from their posts of duty. The roll call containing the names of the 205 should be framed and hung in the House lobby to commemorate the rout of the House before the gas attack of two walking delegates.

READY FOR ANGELUS

Bells in Washington Will Toll First Time at Noon Sunday, When City Will Bow in Prayer.

Washington, June 21.—Washington today awaits the hour when for the first time as a community the National Capital will bow in prayer for victory and peace.

The citizens' committee to bring about the observance of a daily angelus met again last night and the subcommittees reported that throughout the city every church, every religious organization and every school where a bell tolls, will be glad to co-operate as a part of a joyful duty.

Therefore at noon on Sunday, when sermons are being delivered from the pulpits of the city, the first call to prayer will be sounded, the preachers will suspend their talks for a minute to send an earnest prayer to heaven for victory and peace, and thereafter ever day in Washington will be marked by the tolling of the prayer bells at noon—from now until we have accomplished that victory which the allied forces are fighting for against German barbarism.

HOME-CANNING DRIVE

Three Thousand Trained Demonstrators to Instruct Those Who Need Assistanace.

Washington, D. C., June 21.—The home-canning drive for 1,500,000,000 quarts of "put up" foods in 1918 is on! Three thousand home-demonstration agents and leaders in boys' and girls' club work in the United States Department of Agriculture are ready to help the nation to this goal. They have started out to teach the nation to can and to do a good job of it. In addition to this number many thousands of volunteer leaders are working with these extension forces of the department on the summer campaign. Last year the home canners put up 850,000,000 quarts, it is estimated.

Bury 600 Austrians.

Paris, June 21. — After violently bombarding the French positions on the Asiago sector of the Italian front, telegraphs the Havas correspondent at the Italian headquarters, the Austro-Hungarians attacked yesterday in mass formation.

Six hundred Austro - Hungarian corpses were buried in front of one French regiment.

The French everywhere broke up the assaults and completely maintained their line. Prisoners were taken, important material was captured, and considerable losses were inflicted on the enemy.

RUSSELLITES ARE GUILTY

Rutherford and Seven Others Convicted Under Espionage Law.

New York, June 21. — Joseph F. Rutherford and seven other defendants, followers of the late "Pastor" Russell, were found guilty of conspiring to violate the espionage law, by a jury in Federal Court at 10:30 o'clock last night.

Violation of the law is not excused by the plea that it was done in the service of God, declared Judge Howe, in charging the jury. The defendants were accused of preaching sedition in "Pastor" Russell's posthumous book, "The Finished Mystery," and with advising resistance to the draft. The case was given to the jury at 6 o'clock.

"If you find," said Judge Howe, "that these defendants purposely said, wrote or published what they did in a willful attempt to cause insubordination, disloyalty or refusal of duty, or a willful obstruction to the recruiting or enlistment service, this would constitute criminal intention, notwithstanding you may also find that they intended to serve God, and were not conscious of doing anything unlawful, because they did not know the law."

GOMPERS AGAIN CHOSEN

Workers Reaffirm Decision Not to Confer With German Labor Until Militarism Falls.

St. Paul, June 21.—Samuel Gompers was re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor by acclamation at the annual convention here yesterday afternoon.

Frank Morrison, of Washington, and D. J. Tobin, of Indianapolis, were re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Atlantic City was selected as the next convention city.

American workingmen, through the federation, reaffirmed their position of refusing to meet representatives of workers of the central powers until Germany's military machine has been crushed.

Must Win In Six Months

Chicago, June 21.—Germany must win the war in six months or she is defeated, declared the Earl of Dumore, a colonel in the British army, in an interview.

"I do not think they have manpower sufficient to carry out a victory in that time," added the British nobleman.

"The situation, though serious, inclines more and more to favor the allies.

"I am frank to say that at this time I cannot forecast any means of checking Teutonic designs in the far east, but I am confident they will be checked."

NO EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS

Responsible German Officials Impossible to Find.

Washington, June 21.—Failure so far of efforts to reach an agreement with Germany in regard to exchange of prisoners was announced yesterday by the State Department. Inability of American representatives to get in touch with responsible German officials in Switzerland is responsible for the delay.

For some time negotiations have been in progress for investigation of the condition of American prisoners in Germany. The State Department seeks to broaden this proposal into a program for exchanging prisoners.

Airplane Flight Across Atlantic

Washington, June 21.—A flight across the Atlantic may be attempted before long.

It became known today at the War Department that considerable discussion had been given to this problem, and that allied representatives here had urged it.

First the Italians suggested flying across in one of their powerful planes, and now, it is understood, the British are considering the feasibility of attempting it in one of theirs.

Mary's Little Frock.

Mary had a little frock,
The latest style, no doubt,
And when she got inside it, she
Was over half-way out.

No Peace Until Plan Is Dropped

London, June 21.—"Until the German plan for world dominion is defeated and abandoned, no peace can bem ore than a tree," sai dthe Chronicle today in commenting upon the speech made by Foreign Secretary Balfour in the house of commons on Friday.

Mr. Balfour in his speech yesterday declared that there is no basis for peace at this time and stated that the war aims of England and the United States are identical.

Cherokees Join Army.

Kansas City, Mo., June 21.—Seven full-blood Cherokee Indians, each 19 years old and six feet tall and averaging 180 pounds in weight, have received their first experience as soldiers of the United States. Under the sponsorship of Big John, father of one of the boys, the Indian youths came here from Dewey, Okla., and enlisted in the artillery branch, declaring they wanted to hear the "big guns."

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HUNGER DRIVES MOB TO RIOT

Burgomaster of Vienna Refuses to Guarantee Order With Bread Ration Cut.

London, June 21. — Burgomaster Weiss-Kirchner, of Vienna, has informed the Austrian premier, Von Seydler, according to a dispatch from the Austrian capital that, in view of the reduction of the bread ration he declines to guarantee order in the capital.

The Burgomaster's demand for dried vegetables to make up for the lack of bread has been refused.

Serious rioting broke out in Vienna Wednesday. The mob broke into a number of bakeries, stoned the residence of the premier and also one of the wings of the Hofburg Palace, the message adds.

Cavalry is being rushed to the capital to restore order. It is probable, it is stated, that martial law will be proclaimed.

The rioting was in protest against the reduction of the bread ration.

For at least six weeks, says the Vienna Neue Freie Presse, the people of Austria will have to exist on little more than salads and certain vegetables.

Vienna dispatches to German newspapers say that the reduction of the bread rations caused immense excitement throughout the dual monarchy. All Austrian newspapers without distinction of party protest against the measure demand its removal and ask immediate help from Germany and Hungary.

Discussing the inability of Germany to help Austria in her food difficulties, the Cologne Gazette says the bread ration in Germany will also have to be reduced until the next harvest.

Copenhagen, June 21.—According to the Vossische Zeitung, the Mayor of Vienna in a statement explaining the food situation, has said that last month a proclamation was issued to farmers requesting them to deliver a certain amount to large towns. The council had hoped to receive 10,000 carloads of grain, but as a matter of fact had received only 2,500. The Mayor also reported that after the last lot of potatoes is distributed this week the supply will be exhausted.

The Mayor of Budapest, replying to a telegram requesting assistance, said conditions there were so bad that the people had not had sufficient food for months.

Kiev Seethes in Revolt.

London, June 21.—A great revolt has begun at Kiev, according to an intercepted wireless message transmitted from Moscow to the Exchange Telegraph Company. Artillery stores have been exploded and there is continuous street fighting. The revolt is spreading to the Poltava and Tchernigov districts. Forty thousand peasants, armed and organized, are participating in the revolt.

TIRPITZ ANGERS GERMANS.

Ex-Pirate Chief of Huns Surrenders Compartment to Crowd.

Amsterdam, June 21.—Admiral Tirpitz is disclosed as a "seat hog" in an article in the Socialist organ Vorwaerts, of Berlin.

On a recent German holiday the train from Stettin to Berlin was packed with pleasure-seekers, women and children being stuffed into carriages like sardines.

A crowd which tried to fight its way aboard the train at Freienwalde discovered that an entire half of one second-class carriage was occupied by an amiable-looking old man with a long beard. The guard refused to disturb his comfort, saying the compartments were reserved by him.

Some one shouted: "It's old Tirpitz!"

That threw the crowd into a frenzy, and it started for the train to mob the old ex-pirate chief.

Von Tirpitz became frightened ot the demonstration and ordered the guard to admit the crowd to his compartments.

"He would have been roughly handled had he not surrendered," says Vorwaerts.

HUNS DECLINE TO FIGHT.

Retire From Belleau Wood When Americans Start.

With the American Forces on the Marne, June 21.-The American troops in this sector attacked the German line northwest of Chateau-Thierry during Wednesday night and made an advance of 5-8 of a mile, driving the Germans back from a small pocket on the northern side of Belleau wood.

The Americans occupied the German positions without resistance from the enemy, the Germans having withdrawn when the short and sharp pre-The Germans carried would follow. The Germans carried their material with them in their retreat, and the Americans therefore did not take any machine guns. As a matter of course, also, no prisoners were taken.

One small salient is all that the enemy continues to hold in Belleau wood.

GIRL KILLED IN CRASH.

Two Young Men Injured in Auto Collision Near Winston Salem.

Winston-Salem, N. C., June 21.—Miss Ruth Tyree, daughter of City Commissioner of Finance L. P. Tyree, was killed, and George C. and Bynum Tudor, sons of a local insurance man, were seriously hurt as a result of two automobiles colliding early Wednesday.

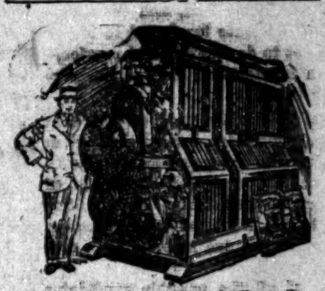
The three young people who were returning from a dance at the country club, were thrown into a barbed wire fence.

Murders Nursing Mother.

Shamokin, Pa., June 21.—As she sat by the side of a cradle nursing a one-week-old baby boy at her home at Natalia, a mining village on the top of a mountain northeast of here, Mrs. Peter Smalak, aged 45, was brutally murdered Wednesday by her husband, who struck her three times on the head with a sharp hatchet, each of the blows splitting the skull. The murderer was apprehended by a posse, given a hearing and remanded to the county jail at Sunbury to await trial.

Smalak had been drinking heavily for three days, and when he returned home Tuesday night was reprimanded by his wife. While a 13-year-old daughter was at work in the kitchen yesterday morning he tiptoed in with the hatchet in his hand. The girl believed it to be a drunken antic and paid no attention to her father until she heard a muffled groan from an adjoining room. Looking into the room the girl saw her father strike the third blow as the mother was lying on the floor beside the cradle holding the baby.

She summoned neighbors, including an officer, and when Smalak was caught and arraigned before a justice he pleaded not guilty and declared he was glad to be sent to jail instead of being lynched. The murdered woman leaves seven children, the eldest of whom is seventeen years old.



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Confidential Correspondence From the Devil to the Kaiser—Translated by Eugene H. Blake, o fthe Vigilantes.

Dear Wilhelm—Here's something we've got to watch close. Women all over the United States are going around dressed in white working every minute rolling bandages and collecting funds. Women who have always gone off to summer resorts this time of year are staying in the cities and swarming into hot crowded rooms to cut and sew and pack. They flock down to railway stations to cheer the soldiers on the trains and give them food and drink—no matter what time of night.

A whole lot of these women have escaped our submarines and are now in every country you and I have tried to bring under our kultur and frightfulness. They go to the very battle fields after the wounded and take care of women and children from the regions we have devastated. I can't believe there is any real danger of their undoing all the miseries we can inflict if we wish a German peace on the world, but Wilhelm, they are making an amazing effort at it.

And that's why the American people are pouring out their dollars to back them. They know where the money goes and have quit believing what we started about waste and graft. In the United States it's not so any one would as soon admit that he had committed a crime as admit that he had not given these workers what he could to undo what we have done. You remember Caligula of Rome wished mankind had only one neck so he could chop it off at a single whack. I wish we could get all this tribe of women on a hospital ship big enough to haul them at one load, so that we could send them where we sent the women and children on the Lusitania.

See if you can think up something. And get busy as quick as you can, Wilhelm.

Yours for unmitigated kultur,

The Devil.

ADMITS U-BOAT HAS FAILED

Resources of Allies Understimated, Writes Capt. Persius.

London, June 21.—The German U-boats are unequal to the warfare against them, is the virtual admission of Capt. Persius, the naval critic of the Berliner Tageblatt, says a Rotterdam dispatch to the Daily Telegraph. Capt. Persius writes:

"Every layman knows that U-boat losses are unavoidable, owing to the continually increasing sharpness and effectiveness of the defensive measures of the enemy, which, perhaps will further increase as the war progresses. It is scarcely to be denied that our enemies are both carrying on the war and living and that it will be possible for them to defend themselves against tonnage needs for a long time, at any rate. From the beginning of the U-boat war it was a mistake often committed amongst us to understimate the resources of our enemies."

SUES "DRY" COMMISSIONER.

W. B. Boyd Demands $10,000 on Charge of False Arrest.

Richmond, Va., June 21.—Suit for $10,000 has just been instituted in the circuit court of Mecklenburg county by William B. Boyd, member of a prominent south side Virginia family, against the Rev. J. Sidney Peters, State prohibition commissioner, and two of his agents, William E. Payne and Paul D. Beattie.

The suit grew out of the arrest and prosecution of Boyd for alleged violation of the State prohibition law. Boyd was tried at the April term of the Mecklenburg court and acquitted.

Payne and Beattie went to Mecklenburg county the latter part of March to raid moonshine distillery. The officers and alleged moonshiners engaged in a battle, both Beattie and Payne being wounded, but not seriously.

TAXES IN POLITICS

Believed Subject Will Figure In Contests Before Voters of State.

"Sooner or later this matter of taxes, the enforcement of the laws, making the burden bear equally, with special favors to none, will become one of the important political issues of the state," yesterday declared a man who was for a long time connected with the state government. Discussion of the action of Major W. H. Sands, examiner of records, in following the instructions of the state tax board, in reporting about $250,000,000 in omitted property in this state, was being had, and the directions of the state tax board to Major Sands not to do what he had previously been instucted to do was the particular point.

Possible candidacy of certain men for gubernatorial honors had been taken up and the question reverted to the tax matter and the attitude of the men on that issue. It is a long time to the next race for governor, but campaigns are mapped with precision, and a long time ahead. The names of all the possible candidates have not yet appeared in the papers, it is understood, and will not be for a good while to come.

Since the report was filed by Major Sands there have been no developments, but that the case will go to the courts before payments are made there is little question. Why the general assembly should relieve big interests of payment of taxes that have not been paid for years is one of the things which the people are said not to grasp and which they fail to understand.—Richmond Journal.

MARTIAL LAW FOR RICHMOND.

Contingent on Police Letting Army Investigate Conditions.

Richmond, Va., June 21.—District Attorney Smith announced in court yesterday that, unless the military police from Camp Lee were permitted to conduct investigations in the city without interference by the local police, the city would be put under martial law.

The district attorney's announcement was made in connection with the case of Lieut. West, who had been arrested with two other men in a lodging house. Army officers declared Lieut. West was here on government business. The case was put over.

Club Supports French Village.

A whole village in France has been supported since the first year of the war by the Washington University Women's Club of St. Louis. Miss Julia C. Stimson, of the university, is head nurse of Base Hospital Unit 21 in France and has been mentioned by Gen. Haig for distinguished service.

Washington University, which numbers nearly 500 if its young men in the service has contributed to war work through the university ambulance fund a tobacco fund and smileage books, also by subscribing for a periodical for every Washington University man in France.

Red Cross Girls Manage a Hotel.

A picturesque feature of the national drive for the Red Cross second war fund was contributed by the Nashville, Tenn., chapter, which took over the management of a large hotel for one day. Accordingly to information received from Mrs. H. H. Corson, of the State division of the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, 200 girls acted as clerks, bell hops, elevator operators, hat checkers, waiters, shoe shiners, and taxi drivers. Expenses were $30, and $1,675 was realized.

BELGIANS TO DIE AS SPIES.

Women Among Suspects Condemned to Execution by Germans.

Amsterdam, June 21.—Sixteen persons, including some women, have been condemned to death by the Germans following their arrest in east Flanders, Belgium, on a suspicion of being guilty of espionage, according to the frontier correspondent of the Telegraf.

It was rumored Wednesday that the executions have already been carried out. More than 500 people had been under arrest.

U. S. AND TURKEY

Restrains Congress, Chafing to Declare War at Once.

Pending complete investigation by the State Department into the Tabriz incident, President Wilson has laid a restraining hand on Congress, in which body there is growing demand for an immediate declaration of war against both Turkey and Bulgaria.

Through Secretary of State Lansing, who appeared before the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, the President is said to have conveyed "vital reasons" why the government should not act in precipitate fashion.

As to what these reasons were there was much secrecy observed, although several members of the committee who have been most urgent in support of a war declaration insisted that they were not altogether satisfied that the government should delay. It was generally agreed, however, that Congress would not act until the President gave the word and unless in his judgment such action was advisable.

Gets Dose of Medicine.

One of the first official indications of whether being a chauffeur will be considered a nonessantial occupation came yesterday when Provost Marshal-General Crowder sent his negro driver off to the ranks to enter a machine-gun school and replaced him with a man below the draft age.

All such cases, it has been announced, will be decided on their individual merits.

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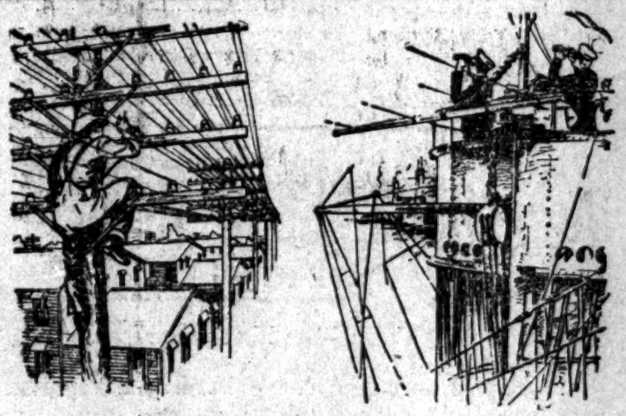

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